

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit: 3637
KUGLER et al.)) Confirmation No. 9600
Serial No.: 10/646,090)) Examiner: A, Phi Dieu Tran
Filed: August 22, 2003)) AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
Atty. File No.: 1164-16-CIP-1))
For: "*Non-Threaded Apparatus for*
" *Selectively Adjusting the Elevation*
" *of a Building Surface*"))

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of April 5, 2006. A petition for a one-month extension of time is also enclosed thereby extending the period of response from July 5, 2006 to August 5, 2006. Finally, a Terminal Disclaimer is included herewith. The \$125.00 payment for the extension of time and the Terminal Disclaimer was submitted during the e-filing process. Although no additional fees are believed due for this submission, the Examiner is authorized to charge any fees deemed proper to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the claim rejections is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and related remarks.